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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Examiner Khaira:

The following comments and amendments are made in response to the final Office Action mailed on January 11, 2006, in respect of the above-entitled application for patent. Entry of this Reply and Amendment is respectfully requested under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.116.

In response to the subject Office Action, Applicant herein amends the claims and provides remarks regarding the listed rejections.

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application for patent.

**Amendments to the Specification** are not presented in this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are not presented in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 6.